

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Monday, January 16, 2023**

For members of the public to observe the meeting, please click on the following link:  
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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
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Organizational Meeting

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman Palmer

Vice Chairman Mitchell

Rep Dixon (1)

Rep Holtzclaw

Rep Monks

Rep Blanksma

Rep Manwaring

Rep Shepherd

Rep Crane (12)

Rep Handy

Rep Hill

Rep Lanting

Rep Miller

Rep Petzke

Rep Yamamoto

Rep Gannon

Rep Burns

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, January 16, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representative(s) Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Dixon(1), Blanksma, Shepherd

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:32pm.

**Chairman Palmer** welcomed all the members and **Tracey McDonnell**, the new secretary, to the committee. He then had the Page, **Nelson Baines**, introduce himself. He assigned **Reps. Petzke and Burns** as the committee's proofreaders. Chairman Palmer announced the committee would be a paperless committee this year and would utilize the remote testimony program.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:43pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Wednesday, January 18, 2023**

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<a href="#">RS 29919C1</a>	Commercial License, Renewal	Rep. Manwaring
<a href="#">RS 29909C1</a>	Temporary Vehicle Permits	Rep. Shepherd
<a href="#">RS 30004</a>	Trucking Association Settlement Fund	Rep. Crane (12)
<a href="#">RS 29908C1</a>	Commercial Drivers, Trafficking	Rep. Handy

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Vice Chairman Mitchell  
Rep Dixon (1)  
Rep Holtzclaw  
Rep Monks  
Rep Blanksma

Rep Manwaring  
Rep Shepherd  
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**DATE:** Wednesday, January 18, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Holtzclaw, Petzke, Gannon

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Burns** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 16, 2023 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 29919C1:** **Rep. Manwaring**, District 29, stated this proposed legislation will allow CDL licensees to renew their credentials online, an option that is already available for certain non-CDL drivers. It also clarifies the Idaho State Tax Commission can share residency information with the Idaho Transportation Department for the purposes of driver licensing.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 29919C1. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 29909C1:** **Rep. Shepherd**, District 7, stated this proposed legislation will eliminate the need for commercial vehicles to post a printed copy of their temporary registration in the window of their vehicle.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 29909C1. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30004:** **Rep. Crane**, District 12, stated this proposed legislation repeals an obsolete section within **Idaho Code, Title 40**, which in 2000, established the American Trucking Association Settlement Fund. This Fund has been closed and is no longer in use.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Dixon** made a motion to introduce **RS 30004. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 29908C1:** **Rep. Handy**, District 27, stated this proposed legislation will establish a lifetime disqualification from holding a CDL if a person is convicted of human trafficking.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 29908C1. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:38pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Tuesday, January 24, 2023**

For members of the public to observe the meeting, please click on the following link:  
<https://www.idahoptv.org/shows/idahoinsession/ew40/>

SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
	Review of Governor's FY 2023 and FY 2024 Budget Recommendation	Alex Adams, Administrator, Division of Financial Management
	2023 Report from the Idaho Transportation Department	Scott Stokes, Director, Idaho Transportation Department
<a href="#">RS 30034</a>	License Plates, Display	Rep. Shepherd
<a href="#">RS 30023</a>	Captiol Building, Roads	Rep. Palmer

***If you have written testimony, please provide a copy to the committee secretary.***

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Rep Dixon (1)  
Rep Holtzclaw  
Rep Monks  
Rep Blanksma

Rep Manwaring  
Rep Shepherd  
Rep Crane (12)  
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MINUTES  
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**DATE:** Tuesday, January 24, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Blanksma, Crane(12), Lanting

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**MOTION:** **Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

**Rep. Burns** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 18, 2023 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**Alex Adams**, Administrator, Division of Financial Management, presented **Governor Little's** Fiscal Year 2023-2024 budget recommendations. The presentation included how the budget was developed, safeguards to provide a cushion in the event less revenue is collected, and payoff of a portion of the GARVEE (Grant Anticipation Revenue Vehicle) bond debt, ahead of schedule, which frees up over \$6 million per year to put towards other transportation projects.

**Scott Stokes**, Director, Idaho Transportation Department, presented the Department's annual report to the committee. He stated the Department is responsible for operating, preserving, restoring, and improving over 12,000 lane miles of the state's highway system, 1,800 bridges, operating the DMV (Division of Motor Vehicles), assisting over 60 community airports, and operating and maintaining 32 backcountry airstrips.

**Mr. Stokes** addressed **Governor Little's** Leading Idaho initiative, which includes additional investments in Idaho's transportation systems. He also discussed the Department's ongoing budget initiatives, including priority corridor projects, restoring and preserving pavements on the state's highways, and replacing and rehabilitating bridges. He spoke of the acceleration of four major bond-funded highway construction projects, and the new on-line DMV program, which has resulted in a 50% reduction of in-person visits to DMV offices.

**RS 30034:** **Chairman Palmer** announced the bill sponsor requested **RS 30034** be withdrawn from the agenda.

**Chairman Palmer** turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman Mitchell**.

**RS 30023:** **Rep. Palmer**, District 20, stated this proposed legislation would add a section to **Idaho Code, Title 16, Chapter 16**, authorizing the Director of Administration, in cooperation with the Idaho State Capitol Commission, to control the use of the roadways adjoining the capitol building.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a motion to introduce **RS 30023**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**Vice Chairman Mitchell** turned the gavel over to **Chairman Palmer**.

**ADJOURN:**

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 2:09pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Thursday, January 26, 2023**

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<https://www.idahoptv.org/shows/idahoinsession/ew40/>

SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<a href="#">H 9</a>	Commercial License, Renewal	Rep. Manwaring
<a href="#">H 8</a>	Temporary Vehicle Permits	Rep. Shepherd
<a href="#">H 10</a>	Trucking Association Settlement Fund	Rep. Crane (12)
<a href="#">H 7</a>	Commercial Drivers, Trafficking	Rep. Handy
<a href="#">RS 30074</a>	Traffic Lanes, Congestion, Funding	Rep. Dixon (1)

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Vice Chairman Mitchell  
Rep Dixon (1)  
Rep Holtzclaw  
Rep Monks  
Rep Blanksma

Rep Manwaring  
Rep Shepherd  
Rep Crane (12)  
Rep Handy  
Rep Hill  
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Rep Miller  
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MINUTES  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, January 26, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Crane(12), Gannon

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

**H 9:** **Rep. Manwaring**, District 29, stated **H 9** aligns with Idaho Transportation Department's ongoing efforts to offer all services online by allowing CDL licensees to renew their credentials online, an option that is already available for certain non-CDL drivers. It also clarifies the Idaho State Tax Commission can share residency information with the Department for the purposes of driver licensing.

In response to a committee question asking if this is for all commercial classes of licenses, **Rep. Manwaring** answered yes.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to send **H 9** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Manwaring** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 8:** **Rep. Shepherd**, District 7, stated **H 8** is a red tape reduction bill with two parts. The first part will eliminate the need for commercial vehicles to have posted a printed copy of the temporary registration in the window of the vehicle. The second part removes the unnecessarily restrictive provisions to purchase a 30 day unladen permit, because there is no longer a need for that requirement.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to send **H 8** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Shepherd** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 10:** **Chairman Palmer** announced, due to the absence of the bill sponsor, **H 10** will be held until the next committee meeting, Monday, January 30, 2023.

**H 7:** **Rep. Handy**, District 27, stated **H 7** will align Idaho Code with the recently changed federal statutes relating to CDL disqualifications by ensuring Idaho has the authority to apply the same penalty, and there are no legal loopholes created to avoid the penalty. He indicated, **H 7** establishes a lifetime disqualification from holding a CDL if a person is convicted of human trafficking.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Petzke** made a motion to send **H 7** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Handy** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**RS 30074:** **Rep. Dixon**, District 1, stated this proposed legislation reaffirms the use of funding within the Transportation Expansion and Congestion Mitigation Program is limited to the purposes for which it was allocated; expansion of travel lanes and congestion mitigation projects.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Shepherd** made a motion to introduce **RS 30074**.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a substitute motion to introduce **RS 30074** and amend the language in the legislation to include road and bridge maintenance, traffic flow, and travel times. The changes are found on page one, Section 1, 40-720.(3)(b), beginning on line 28, and read as follows: Any moneys funding the transportation expansion and congestion mitigation program shall be limited to road and bridge maintenance, the expansion of travel lanes and congestion mitigation for the primary benefit of motor vehicles to improve traffic flow and traffic travel lanes.

**VOTE ON SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** **Chairman Palmer** called for a vote on the substitute motion to introduce **RS 30074** with changes. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:44pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Monday, January 30, 2023**

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<a href="#">RS 30072</a>	Transportation Policy	Rep. Manwaring
<a href="#">RS 30107</a>	Driving, Daylight Hours	Rep. Durrant
<a href="#">RS 30028</a>	Disabled Veterans, Plates, Placards	Rep. Nelsen
<a href="#">H 10</a>	Trucking Association Settlement Fund	Rep. Crane (12)
<a href="#">H 25</a>	Capitol Building Roads	Rep. Palmer

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Vice Chairman Mitchell  
Rep Dixon (1)  
Rep Holtzclaw  
Rep Monks  
Rep Blanksma

Rep Manwaring  
Rep Shepherd  
Rep Crane (12)  
Rep Handy  
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MINUTES  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, January 30, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Burns** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 24, 2023 meeting. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30072:** **Rep. Manwaring**, District 29, stated this proposed legislation amends **Idaho Code, Section 40-708**, to provide for more specific policy for the state highway accounts and levies. It states revenue from the highway users and authorized levies shall be spent exclusively for the maintenance, construction, and development of bridges and highways that benefit primarily motor vehicles in the local highway jurisdictions.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Shepherd** made a motion to introduce **RS 30072. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30107:** **Rep. Durrant**, District 23, stated this proposed legislation amends **Idaho Code, Section 49-307**, to clarify "daylight hours" means the period of time between 5:00am and 10:00pm local time, rather than the current restriction of 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 30107. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30028:** **Rep. Nelsen**, District 26, stated this proposed legislation will streamline and simplify the process for disabled veterans to only have to file one time to receive a disabled veteran license plate and a placard for a second vehicle.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 30028. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 10:** **Rep. Crane**, District 12, stated this legislation repeals an obsolete section within **Idaho Code, Section 40**, which in 2000, established the American Trucking Association Settlement Fund. Rep. Crane yielded the podium to **Josh Scholer**.

**Josh Scholer**, Division of Financial Management, stated this Fund is no longer being used and has maintained a zero balance in the account for the past 17 years.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to send **H 10** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Crane (12)** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Chairman Palmer** turned over the gavel to **Vice Chairman Mitchell**.

**H 25:** **Rep. Palmer**, District 20, stated this legislation adds a new section to **Idaho Code, Title 67, Chapter 16**, to provide the Director, Department of Administration, in cooperation with the Idaho State Capitol Commission, the Governor, and the presiding officers of the Legislature, control of the use of roadways adjacent to the Capitol building. He explained, currently the state is limited in its abilities to respond to activities on streets adjacent to the Capitol, so this legislation would enable the Department the ability to provide for the safety of people in and around the building, as well as the security of the Capitol building and grounds. Rep. Palmer stated the Department would coordinate with the Speaker, the Pro Tem, and the Governor for approval of permanent alterations to roadways adjacent to the Capitol, with the best interests of the state in mind. He remarked, the Commission would adopt policies and procedures for implementation of the approval of the use of the streets and commented there are no changes to the statutory obligations for maintenance and for the operation of law enforcement of the roadways.

In response to a committee question regarding impact to the parking meters around the Capitol building, **Rep. Palmer** stated there could be impacts, but until the decisions are finalized, it's too soon to say. He remarked, if the state thinks it's in the best interest to do something different, it would be up to the Commission to make that decision.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to send **H 25** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**Heidi Smith**, representing herself from District 9, spoke **in opposition** to **H 25**, stating this is another example of government overreach without any examples of why this is needed.

**Rep. Palmer** stood and closed. He explained the Capitol building is unique being inside the city limits with protections to a certain degree. This legislation will add an additional layer of protection to the building, its grounds, and the people in and around the building.

**VOTE ON MOTION:** **Vice Chairman Mitchell** called for a vote on the motion to send **H 25** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Palmer** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**Vice Chairman Mitchell** turned over the gavel to **Chairman Palmer**.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:56pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary

AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Thursday, February 02, 2023**

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<a href="#">RS 30179</a>	Driver's Education, Parents	Rep. Mendive
<a href="#">RS 30198</a>	Traffic Lanes, Congestion, Funding	Rep. Dixon (1)
<a href="#">RS 30166</a>	Vehicle Titles, Fees	Rep. Petzke
<a href="#">RS 30133</a>	Vehicles, Biennial Registration	Rep. Hill

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman Palmer	Rep Manwaring	Rep Miller
Vice Chairman Mitchell	Rep Shepherd	Rep Petzke
Rep Dixon (1)	Rep Crane (12)	Rep Yamamoto
Rep Holtzclaw	Rep Handy	Rep Gannon
Rep Monks	Rep Hill	Rep Burns
Rep Blanksma	Rep Lanting	

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, February 02, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw, Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Hill, Gannon

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Burns** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 26 and 30, 2023 meetings. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30179:** **Rep. Mendive**, District 5, stated this proposed legislation would allow qualified parents and legal guardians to be private educators for Class D driver's training instruction permits. He remarked, this would benefit citizens from rural areas who must travel long distances to take their children to required public or private driver's education instructors and would provide equal opportunity for children of all income levels to test for a driver's license by reducing the need to pay expensive fees for private education.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Shepherd** made a motion to introduce **RS 30179**.

In response to a question from **Rep. Lanting** regarding why would anyone invest time and money in getting certified to be a driver's education trainer if parents would be allowed to do it without any instruction, **Rep. Mendive** replied this would be an additional tool for parents, especially in rural areas where driver's education training isn't available. He commented, nobody would be more concerned about a child's safety than their parent.

**VOTE ON  
MOTION:** **Chairman Palmer** called for a vote on the motion to introduce **RS 30179**. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Lanting** requested to be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**RS 30198:** **Rep. Dixon**, District 1, stated this proposed legislation is a replacement for **RS 30074C1**, due to some errors in the mechanics of the bill. He stated those errors have been corrected on page 2, line 24 in **RS 30198**, which correctly identifies where the dollars are coming from and how they are to be spent. He explained this will not affect the Idaho Transportation Department, but rather is directed at local units of government.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a motion to introduce **RS 30198**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30166:** **Rep. Petzke**, District 21, stated this proposed legislation would allow an administrative fee to be set by a Board of County Commissioners to cover costs at the county level associated with the title transactions instead of having property taxes cover the shortfall.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Blanksma** made a motion to introduce **RS 30166**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 30133:** **Chairman Palmer** announced, due to the absence of the bill sponsor, **RS 30133** will be held until the next committee meeting, Monday, February 6, 2023.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:43pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary



AGENDA  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**  
**1:30 P.M.**  
**Room EW40**  
**Monday, February 06, 2023**

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<a href="#">RS 30133</a>	Vehicles, Biennial Registration	Rep. Hill
<a href="#">H 56</a>	Driving, Daylight Hours	Rep. Durrant
<a href="#">H 57</a>	Disabled Veterans, Plates and Placards	Rep. Nelsen

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MINUTES  
**HOUSE TRANSPORTATION & DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, February 06, 2023

**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Palmer, Vice Chairman Mitchell, Representatives Dixon(1), Holtzclaw (Yorgason), Monks, Blanksma, Manwaring, Shepherd, Crane(12), Handy, Hill, Lanting, Miller, Petzke, Yamamoto, Gannon, Burns

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Blanksma, Manwaring, Petzke, Gannon

**GUESTS:** The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

**Chairman Palmer** called the meeting to order at 1:37pm.

**UNANIMOUS  
CONSENT  
REQUEST:** **Chairman Palmer** made a unanimous consent request to rearrange the order of the agenda. There being no objection, the request was granted.

**H 57:** **Rep. Nelsen**, District 26, stated this legislation will streamline and simplify the process for disabled veterans to only have to file one time to receive a disabled veteran's license plate and a placard for the second vehicle.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Dixon (1)** made a motion to send **H 57** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Nelsen** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**H 56:** **Rep. Durrant**, District 23, stated this legislation clarifies "daylight hours" means the period of time between 5:00am and 10:00pm local time, rather than the current restriction of 30 minutes before sunrise and 30 minutes after sunset.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Dixon (1)** made a motion to send **H 56** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Durrant** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**RS 30133:** **Rep. Hill**, District 14, stated this proposed legislation amends **Idaho Code, Section 49-402B**, to revise provisions regarding vehicles under 60,000 pounds, not on the International Registration Plan (IRP), to be eligible for biennial registration.

In response to confusion among committee members regarding the language in the legislation, **Rep. Hill** yielded the podium to **Brian Goeke**, Idaho Transportation Department, Division of Motor Vehicles. Mr. Goeke stated although the language appears to read contrary to what the legislation is proposing, lines 17 and 18 refer to being on the IRP, which makes a vehicle ineligible for biennial registration.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Dixon (1)** made a motion to introduce **RS 30133.** **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 1:45pm.

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Representative Palmer  
Chair

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Tracey McDonnell  
Secretary